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<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>207,632</b>	<b>124,076</b>	<b>59.8</b>	<b>83,556</b>	<b>40.2</b>	<b>114,824</b>	<b>55.3</b>	<b>92,808</b>	<b>44.7</b>
AGE									
18-24 years	26,943	19,042	70.7	7,901	29.3	17,957	66.6	8,986	33.4
25-34 years	38,542	26,905	69.8	11,637	30.2	25,429	66.0	13,113	34.0
35-44 years	44,087	30,945	70.2	13,142	29.8	28,579	64.8	15,508	35.2
45-54 years	39,115	26,223	67.0	12,892	33.0	24,015	61.4	15,100	38.6
55-64 years	25,289	13,527	53.5	11,762	46.5	12,196	48.2	13,093	51.8
65 years and over	33,656	7,435	22.1	26,221	77.9	6,648	19.8	27,008	80.2
SEX									
Male	99,472	58,998	59.3	40,475	40.7	55,150	55.4	44,322	44.6
Female	108,160	65,079	60.2	43,081	39.8	59,674	55.2	48,486	44.8
RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN									
White	172,192	105,724	61.4	66,467	38.6	98,300	57.1	73,892	42.9
White not Hispanic	149,301	96,828	64.9	52,472	35.1	90,863	60.9	58,437	39.1
Black	24,023	11,109	46.2	12,914	53.8	9,731	40.5	14,292	59.5
Asian/Pacific Islander	9,255	6,184	66.8	3,072	33.2	5,804	62.7	3,451	37.3
Hispanic (of any race)	24,031	9,422	39.2	14,608	60.8	7,910	32.9	16,121	67.1
MARITAL STATUS									
Married-spouse present	115,987	74,445	64.2	41,542	35.8	68,950	59.4	47,036	40.6
Married-spouse absent	2,994	1,185	39.6	1,809	60.4	1,091	36.5	1,903	63.5
Widowed	14,209	2,754	19.4	11,455	80.6	2,412	17.0	11,797	83.0
Divorced	20,337	11,416	56.1	8,921	43.9	10,398	51.1	9,939	48.9
Separated	4,504	2,125	47.2	2,379	52.8	1,875	41.6	2,629	58.4
Never married	49,601	32,151	64.8	17,450	35.2	30,097	60.7	19,504	39.3
ENROLLMENT STATUS									
Enrolled in school	17,800	16,881	94.8	919	5.2	14,993	84.2	2,807	15.8
Not enrolled in school	189,832	107,195	56.5	82,637	43.5	99,831	52.6	90,001	47.4

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<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>									
Less than high school graduate	33,458	7,056	21.1	26,402	78.9	5,868	17.5	27,591	82.5
High school graduate or GED	68,424	33,628	49.1	34,796	50.9	29,822	43.6	38,602	56.4
Some college or associate degree	55,825	40,589	72.7	15,236	27.3	37,376	67.0	18,449	33.0
Bachelor's degree	33,179	28,250	85.1	4,929	14.9	27,518	82.9	5,661	17.1
Advanced degree	16,746	14,554	86.9	2,193	13.1	14,241	85.0	2,505	15.0
<b>FAMILY INCOME</b>									
<b>TOTAL IN FAMILIES</b>	<b>165,277</b>	<b>102,470</b>	<b>62.0</b>	<b>62,806</b>	<b>38.0</b>	<b>94,321</b>	<b>57.1</b>	<b>70,955</b>	<b>42.9</b>
Less than \$5,000	2,290	681	29.7	1,609	70.3	633	27.6	1,657	72.4
\$5,000-\$9,999	4,390	1,007	22.9	3,383	77.1	863	19.6	3,527	80.4
\$10,000-\$14,999	7,384	2,127	28.8	5,257	71.2	1,779	24.1	5,605	75.9
\$15,000-\$19,999	6,228	1,927	30.9	4,300	69.1	1,547	24.8	4,681	75.2
\$20,000-\$29,999	17,592	7,396	42.0	10,196	58.0	6,390	36.3	11,202	63.7
\$30,000-\$39,999	17,264	9,420	54.6	7,844	45.4	8,250	47.8	9,014	52.2
\$40,000-\$49,999	13,986	9,243	66.1	4,743	33.9	8,437	60.3	5,549	39.7
\$50,000-\$59,999	14,406	10,237	71.1	4,169	28.9	9,376	65.1	5,030	34.9
\$60,000-\$74,999	15,715	12,370	78.7	3,345	21.3	11,557	73.5	4,158	26.5
\$75,000 or more	39,485	34,100	86.4	5,385	13.6	32,845	83.2	6,639	16.8
Not reported	26,537	13,962	52.6	12,575	47.4	12,646	47.7	13,891	52.3
<b>REGION OF HOUSEHOLD</b>									
Northeast	40,586	24,518	60.4	16,068	39.6	23,064	56.8	17,522	43.2
Midwest	47,819	29,540	61.8	18,279	38.2	27,212	56.9	20,607	43.1
South	73,390	41,543	56.6	31,847	43.4	38,176	52.0	35,214	48.0
West	45,837	28,475	62.1	17,362	37.9	26,372	57.5	19,465	42.5
<b>HOUSEHOLD TYPE</b>									
Total families	165,277	102,470	62.0	62,806	38.0	94,321	57.1	70,955	42.9
Married couple family	125,444	81,624	65.1	43,819	34.9	75,473	60.2	49,971	39.8
Male householder	9,659	4,681	48.5	4,978	51.5	4,300	44.5	5,358	55.5
Female householder	23,964	12,123	50.6	11,841	49.4	10,874	45.4	13,090	54.6
Nonfamily households	41,719	21,462	51.4	20,257	48.6	20,380	48.9	21,339	51.2

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<b>HOUSEHOLD SIZE</b>									
1 person	28,921	13,037	45.1	15,884	54.9	12,214	42.2	16,707	57.8
2 people	69,116	39,153	56.6	29,964	43.4	36,316	52.5	32,800	47.5
3 people	40,674	26,233	64.5	14,441	35.5	24,307	59.8	16,367	40.2
4-5 people	56,184	38,975	69.4	17,209	30.6	36,125	64.3	20,059	35.7
More than 5 people	12,737	6,679	52.4	6,058	47.6	5,862	46.0	6,875	54.0
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>									
Employed	134,475	97,365	72.4	37,111	27.6	89,069	66.2	45,406	33.8
Unemployed	6,432	3,165	49.2	3,267	50.8	3,389	52.7	3,044	47.3
Not in labor force	66,725	23,547	35.3	43,178	64.7	22,366	33.5	44,358	66.5
<b>OCCUPATION</b>									
Never worked/not in labor force	65,272	22,668	34.7	42,604	65.3	21,528	33.0	43,745	67.0
Managerial and professional	43,799	39,668	90.6	4,131	9.4	37,902	86.5	5,897	13.5
Technicians, sales, and clerical	40,568	33,459	82.5	7,110	17.5	30,156	74.3	10,413	25.7
Service occupations	18,980	9,712	51.2	9,267	48.8	8,679	45.7	10,301	54.3
Precision production, craft, and repair	15,915	8,488	53.3	7,427	46.7	7,684	48.3	8,231	51.7
Machine operators, transportation, and laborers	19,368	8,641	44.6	10,727	55.4	7,593	39.2	11,775	60.8
Farming, forestry, and fishing	3,729	1,440	38.6	2,290	61.4	1,283	34.4	2,446	65.6
<b>INDUSTRY</b>									
Never worked/not in labor force	65,272	22,668	34.7	42,604	65.3	21,528	33.0	43,745	67.0
Agriculture, forestry, and fisheries	3,733	1,665	44.6	2,068	55.4	1,496	40.1	2,237	59.9
Mining	605	385	63.6	221	36.4	357	58.9	248	41.1
Construction	10,754	5,292	49.2	5,462	50.8	4,903	45.6	5,851	54.4
Manufacturing	19,819	13,020	65.7	6,798	34.3	12,033	60.7	7,785	39.3
Transportation, communications, and utilities	10,297	7,394	71.8	2,903	28.2	6,730	65.4	3,568	34.6
Wholesale and retail trade	28,422	18,926	66.6	9,496	33.4	16,884	59.4	11,538	40.6
Finance, insurance, and real estate	9,048	8,031	88.8	1,016	11.2	7,573	83.7	1,474	16.3
Service industry	53,410	41,319	77.4	12,091	22.6	38,384	71.9	15,026	28.1
Public administration	6,272	5,377	85.7	895	14.3	4,935	78.7	1,337	21.3

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